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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/14/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/14/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 10/14/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 10/14/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 10/14/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/14/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 10/14/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
  - The 2nd inventor's first name is spelled differently on the declaration than on the international application. Please clarify.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$-1025 for a Small Entity:

(A previous payment of \$1025 will be applied to the additional fees indicated above.)

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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Group Art Unit: Unknown

Filing Date: October 14, 2005

Examiner: Unknown

For: CONNECTOR AND FEMALE PLUG

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**SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION**

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements, (copy attached), dated September 7, 2006, submitted herewith is the signed declaration for the above-identified patent application.

Applicant notes that no fees are believed to be due at this time as the Check No. 0165 (for \$1,720.00) accompanying the application filed on October 4, 2005, covered the \$500.00 basic national fee, examination fee, and search fee for a small entity, as well as the \$1025.00 excess claims fee, the \$65.00 late declaration fee, and the \$130.00 English translation fee.

Thus, no fees are believed due.

Please charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sean M. McGinn".

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**SUBMISSION OF ASSIGNMENT**

Sir:

Kindly record and return to the undersigned the attached Assignment from Naoki YOSHIMORI and Manabu KOMATSUBARA to CANARE ELECTRIC CO., LTD., for the above-identified patent application. The recording fee of \$40.00 is attached hereto, a check for which accompanies this submission.

Respectfully submitted,

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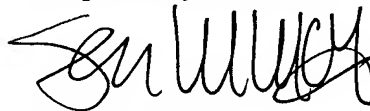
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**SUBMISSION OF VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL  
ENTITY STATUS (37 CFR 1.9(f) AND 1.27(c))-SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN**

Sir:

Submitted herewith is the Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status  
(37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27(c))- Small Business Concern, executed on December 8, 2005, for the  
above-noted application.

Respectfully submitted,



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